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A English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). ■ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (COPY OF PCT REQUEST EXECUTED BY ALL INVENTORS) 10. D A English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12.

An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. A preliminary emendment. 14.

An Application Date Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. A substitute specification. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 17.

A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. ☐ A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). A second copy of the English language translation of the International application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 20. Other items or information: International Search Report (with Information Disclosure Citation and References)

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